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TO AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

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TAGS: PFOR, SCUL, CZ

SUBJECT: CULTURAL/SCIENTIFIC EXCHANGES

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1. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT TO INITIAL AGREEMENT AT CONCLUSION OF NEGOTIATIONS. PRINCIPAL MERIT OF INITIALLING IS TO IDENTIFY OR "FIX" THE VERSION OF THE AGREEMENT WHICH THE NEGOTIATORS MEAN TO HAVE GO FORWARD FOR FINAL REVIEW/ COMPARISON. A CAREFULLY WORDED NOTE CAN ACCOMPLISH THE SAME END WITHOUT IMPLYING ANY CONSENT TO BE BOUND.

2. THE FOLLOWING TEXT IS SUGGESTED, BEGIN TEXT:

THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY HAS THE HONOR TO REFER TO RECENTLY COMPLETED NEGOTIATIONS OF A CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC EXCHANGES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC.

ATTACHED FOR FORMAL REVIEW AND OFFICIAL COMPARISON AS TO ITS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ACCURATE CONFORMITY WITH THE CZECH LANGUAGE TEXT, IS THE

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEXT OF THE AGREEMENT.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA LOOKS FOR-

WARD TO THE NEGOTIATION OF A PROGRAM DOCUMENT AND THE  
ARRANGEMENT OF THE FORMAL CONCLUSION, AT AN EARLY DATE,  
OF THIS SIGNIFICANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS.  
ACCEPT . . . ETC. END TEXT.

3. EMBASSY CAN USE THIS TEXT OR SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR  
TEXT TO TRANSMIT ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEXT AND ACCEPT  
SIMILAR NOTE FROM GOC. ADDITIONALLY US NOTE COULD  
INCLUDE AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CZECH TEXT FOR  
SAME PURPOSES.

IF ANY NOTE PROPOSED WHICH IMPLIES FURTHER COMMITMENT OF  
USG TO THE AGREEMENT, EMBASSY SHOULD SEEK DEPT EVALUATION  
OF SUCH NOTE. ROBINSON

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